

April 10, 1978

LB 123, 700

PRESIDENT: Are you ready for the vote Senator Mills? The question is Senator Maresh's amendment. Record your vote. Please vote. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, on the adoption of Senator Maresh's amendment, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The amendments are adopted Senator Mills.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Rasmussen now moves to amend by adding the severability clause. (Amendment appears on page 1752 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, members of the body, of course, the amendment is self-explanatory. I think it should be adopted and I ask for your vote on this. The reason is the severability clause is there is a couple of sections in there that I think maybe are subject in this way. If one went down the others would survive.

PRESIDENT: The question then is the adoption of Senator Rasmussen's amendment. Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, on the adoption of Senator Rasmussen's amendment Mr. President. Mr. President, finally Senator Hefner has an amendment but I understand that he wishes to withdraw that.

SENATOR HEFNER: I ask unanimous consent to withdraw that amendment.

PRESIDENT: It's withdrawn.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Mills.

SENATOR MILLS: I move we advance LB 123.

PRESIDENT: Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, on the advancement of the bill Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. LB 700.

CLERK: Mr. President, Legislative Bill 700. Mr. President there are no E and R amendments to LB 700. However, Senator Barnett has an amendment that may be found on page 362 of the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Oh yes, 362. It's just the enactment date Senator Carsten. Page 362. The bill drafters, as I understand it, or the staff thought that it should be necessary to implement this January 1, 1979 but that you could start to implement the steps that need to be taken prior to that so this is why we have the implementation date of January 1, 1979 and that the act itself, the bill, will take effect July 1st. That gives them the opportunity to start taking the steps to implement LB 700 which would

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